

CCRB INVESTIGATIVE RECOMMENDATION

Investigator: Greg Finch	Team: Squad #14	CCRB Case #: 201704615	<input type="checkbox"/> Force	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Discourt.	<input type="checkbox"/> U.S.
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Abuse	<input type="checkbox"/> O.L.	<input type="checkbox"/> Injury
Incident Date(s) Friday, 06/09/2017 9:15 AM	Location of Incident: [REDACTED]	Precinct: 84	18 Mo. SOL 12/9/2018	EO SOL 12/9/2018	
Date/Time CV Reported Fri, 06/09/2017 11:38 AM	CV Reported At: CCRB	How CV Reported: Phone	Date/Time Received at CCRB Fri, 06/09/2017 11:38 AM		

Complainant/Victim	Type	Home Address
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]

Witness(es)	Home Address
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]

Subject Officer(s)	Shield	TaxID	Command
1. POF Trennet Epps	30975	932616	084 PCT

Witness Officer(s)	Shield No	Tax No	Cmd Name
1. POF Destiny Mccann	25399	948382	084 PCT
2. POM Russell Scott	09514	948562	084 PCT
3. POF Shawndella Latham	19513	958796	084 PCT
4. SGT Jason Gregory	4171	936702	084 PCT
5. POF Anita Sandoval	12477	942509	084 PCT

Officer(s)	Allegation	Investigator Recommendation
A.POF Trennet Epps	Discourtesy: Police Officer Trennet Epps acted discourteously toward § 87(2)(b) [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
B.POF Trennet Epps	Abuse: Police Officer Trennet Epps threatened to arrest § 87(2)(b) [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]

Case Summary

On June 9, 2017, § 87(2)(b) called the CCRB and filed this complaint.

At approximately 9:00 a.m. on June 9, 2017, Police Officer Trennet Epps and Police Officer Destiny Mccann of the 84th Precinct arrived at § 87(2)(b) in Brooklyn in response to § 87(2)(b)'s 911 call regarding his demand that his neighbor, § 87(2)(b) be arrested. PO Mccann completed a complaint report. PO Epps allegedly dropped the Incident Information Slip of this report at § 87(2)(b)'s feet (**Allegation A**), and told § 87(2)(b) to stop making “fake calls” to the police or he could be arrested (**Allegation B**). No arrest or summons resulted from this incident.

There is no video evidence in this case.

Findings and Recommendations

Allegation A - Discourtesy: PO Trennet Epps acted discourteously to § 87(2)(b)

Allegation B – Threat of arrest: PO Trennet Epps threatened to arrest § 87(2)(b)

It is undisputed that PO Epps refused § 87(2)(b)'s request to arrest § 87(2)(b) that PO Mccann prepared a complaint report for § 87(2)(b) alleging that § 87(2)(b) had harassed him by poking § 87(2)(b) with a cane, and that PO Epps delivered the Incident Slip Report for this complaint to § 87(2)(b). PO Epps and PO Mccann spoke with § 87(2)(b) in the building lobby, along with staff manager § 87(2)(b) and § 87(2)(b) a building security guard.

§ 87(2)(b) alleged that PO Epps extended her arm while looking away from him and dropped the Incident Information Slip so that it fell at § 87(2)(b)'s feet (Board Review 01). PO Epps told § 87(2)(b) that he should stop making fake calls to the police, because he could be arrested for it. § 87(2)(b) and § 87(2)(b) all said they either did not observe this aspect of the incident or denied that any officer threw an Incident Slip at § 87(2)(b) and threatened to arrest him (Board Review 02; Board Review 03; Board Review 04; Board Review 11).

PO Epps acknowledged providing § 87(2)(b) with the incident slip for his report (Board Review 05). PO Epps denied intentionally tossing or dropping the incident slip. PO Epps spoke with building staff members, who complained that § 87(2)(b) made numerous calls to the police. PO Epps acknowledged telling § 87(2)(b) to stop making “fake” phone calls to the police or he would be arrested, and explained that a complainant can be arrested if it is confirmed that they made a false report to the police.

PO McCann acknowledged writing the incident slip, but did not recall how PO Epps handed it to § 87(2)(b) (Board Review 07). PO McCann did not recall if PO Epps threatened to arrest § 87(2)(b).

§ 87(2)(b), § 87(2)(g)

Mediation, Civil and Criminal Histories

- § 87(2)(b) declined to mediate this complaint.
- As of March 2, 2018, the New York City Office of the Comptroller has no record of a Notice of Claim being filed in regards to this complaint (Board Review 08).
- § 87(2)(b)

Civilian and Officer CCRB Histories

- § 87(2)(b)
- PO Epps has been a member-of-service for 14 years and this is the first CCRB complaint to which she has been a subject.

Squad: 14

Investigator: _____
Signature Print Date

Squad Leader: _____
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Reviewer: _____
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